

THE SOUTH-CAROLINA GAZETTE,

Containing the freshest Advices, Foreign and Domestic.

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A View of Foreign Affairs in November last; taken from the Gentleman's Magazine for that Month.

IT seems now beyond all doubt, that the Action at Kars, was in Favour of the Persians, great Numbers of Turkish Women, Inhabitants of Ezzerum and other Places having been seen from Constantinople, on the opposite Shore, who had fled from their Habitations at so great a Distance in the utmost Confusion. — A French Vessel having taken under Maltese Colours, a Turkish Vessel with some Persons of Note on board, was carrying it off, but an English Privateer, the next Day, took the Frenchman, deliver'd the Turks out of his Hands, restor'd to them all their Effects, and saw them and their Vessel safe to Candia, where they landed with loud Encouragements on the English Captain.

POLAND.

The Dyet which met at Grodno on the 5th, had proceeded with great Unanimity; till an Affair happened which threw them into Confusion. M. Wilkowitz, one of the Nuncios, at the Close of a long Speech, acquainted them, that he had taken 350 Ducats, from the Agent of a neighbouring Prince, in order to render the deliberating of the Dyet unsuccessful, which Money, having resolved not to betray his Country, he had brought with him, and left to their Disposition. This Speech delivered with an Air of the greatest Sincerity and with Tears in his Eyes, having made a great Impression on the Assembly. He stood up again and said, his Conscience obliged him to declare that some Nuncios whom he named, and even some Senators had also taken Bribes. This Charge was denied with the strongest Affirmations, by the Parties accused, most of whom asserted, that they had been very little conversant with the Ministers supposed to have corrupted them, and protested their Innocence, requesting to have the Affair examined to the Bottom, and insisted that M. Wilkowitz should be punished, for publishing a false Accusation. The Nuncios refused to rejoin the Senate, and the Dyet separated without coming to any Resolution as to Publick Affairs; to provide for which the King had established a *Senatus Consultus*.

Mr. De Wallenrodt, Minister from the King of Prussia to his Polish Majesty made here, a Declaration a few Days since by the express Order of the King his Master, to the following Effect: — That the War in Germany being particularly

the Alliance which his Polish Majesty lately contracted with the Court of Vienna, and that Treaty consequently not obliging his Majesty in any Manner to furnish Auxiliary Troops to the Queen of Hungary, the King of Prussia could not look upon the Junction of those of Saxony with the Austrian Army, in order to act against him and his Ally, who is the Emperor, in any other Light than that of open Hostility and Aggression: That his Prussian Majesty left it to his Polish Majesty's own Consideration, what Measures and Resolutions a Step of that Nature authorized, and even forced him to take, for disappointing the Designs which were contriving to his Prejudice, and that he wash'd his Hands of all the Inconveniencies which must naturally result from it; but that his Prussian Majesty did however still hope that the King of Poland would precipitate nothing in an Affair of this Importance, nor carry Things to an Extremity, which might tend to the Ruin of their respective Dominions, and of which their Enemies and Envyers only would reap the whole Profit.

His Polish Majesty answer'd the above Declaration in the following Manner.

That his Prussian Majesty truly alleges, that by the Renewal of the Treaty of 1733, the King of Poland was under no Obligation to march any Auxiliary Troops to the Queen of Hungary's Assistance, the present War being excepted in that Renewal by a secret Article. And it is true that his Polish Majesty has kept himself unengaged with respect to the War against France, and against his Imperial Majesty in Bavaria. But his Prussian Majesty can not disallow, that nothing could hinder his Polish Majesty from entering into such Engagements as appeared proper to him, for the Security of his own Dominions.

After the Treaty of Breslau, the King of Poland made no Difficulty of excepting the Case of the present War, because it seem'd to him humanly impossible, that his Prussian Majesty would take up Arms against the Queen of Hungary and Bohemia, in Contradiction to the second Article of the Treaty of Breslau. There was even Room to hope that this Exception might be a proper Means towards restoring Peace, and facilitating some Accommodation between the Parties concern'd, and so much the rather, because his Polish Majesty had dispos'd the Queen of Hungary

not only to restore Bavaria to the Emperor, but to grant him besides pretty considerable Advantages; witness the Representations which the King has more than once made to his Imperial Majesty.

But upon considering the Situation of the Saxon Dominions, his Polish Majesty found it necessary to enter, with her Majesty the Queen of Hungary and Bohemia, by a Convention which was exchange'd the 13th of May, 1744, into a reciprocal Engagement for the Security of Saxony, Bohemia, and Austria.

That it is besides usual enough for one Power to give Auxiliary Troops to another, especially if the Number of them be not too great, without taking part in the War. That accordingly his Prussian Majesty, though he march'd 103,000 Men against the Queen of Hungary, without any Obligation to do so, (the Treaty of Breslau engaging him to nothing in the first Instance but good Offices) caus'd Declaration to be made, that he did not mean ever the more for that to break with the said Queen, nor act contrary to his Engagements taken by the Treaty of Breslau. For which Reason it is much the more difficult to comprehend, why his Prussian Majesty finds Fault with what his Polish Majesty does for the fulfilling of his Obligations, when he is under no Engagement that can prevent his doing it: Consequently it cannot be conceiv'd, why his Prussian Majesty resolves to look upon the Succour given to the Queen of Hungary, as an open Hostility and Aggression, and adds thereto all sorts of Menaces.

The March of the Prussian Troops, thro' Saxony, taken by force, against the Constitutions of the Empire, and notwithstanding the friendly Protestations made against it by the Saxon Ministry and Commissaries, when at the same Time those same Troops might have taken a quite different Road thro' his Prussian Majesty's own Dominions, is much rather to be regarded as a Violation of Territory, and an Act of Hostility. That consequently his Polish Majesty referred himself to the Declaration which he caus'd to be made at Berlin, and at all other Courts, upon Occasion of the Entry of his Auxiliary Troops, which are at the Disposition of her Majesty the Queen of Hungary, into Bohemia; whereby his said Majesty of Poland has clearly shewn, that he took no Part in the War against his Imperial Majesty and his Allies, and that lastly,

he should expect all that his Majesty should be pleased to do, relying upon the Justice of his Cause, and the Assistance of his Allies.

CHARLES TOWN, April 22.

Wednesday last arrived here the Ship *Nancy*, Capt *Ore*, from Cork. On the 1st of March he met with a Gale of Wind which laid the Ship upon her Broadside seven Hours, carried away all her Masts, and did her other considerable Damage. On the 8th of the same Month he was taken by *La Shamfleur*, a French Ship (of near 700 Tons, 24 Guns, and 90 Men) homeward bound from *St Domingo* and the *Havanna*, Moul *Jacques Briffon* Master, who after throwing the *Nancy's* Guns over board and taking out her Ammunition, accepted a Ransom for her. Capt *Ore* had seen no other Vessel since the *Shamfleur* before his Arrival in this Harbour.

On Thursday sail'd in Pursuit of the Privateers that lately appear'd and took Vessels in Sight of this Place, his Majesty's Ships *Aldborough* and *Tartar*, commanded by Capt. *Utting* and Capt. *Ward*.

Admiral *Dawson*, with part of his Squadron, arrived at *Jamaica* about 7 Weeks ago.

Partly Officers for the Year 1745.

Messrs. George Seaman, John Moultrie, Robert Pringle, James Michie, Benjamin Smith, David Caw, William Stone, William Hopton, and James Wright, Esq. *Peppery Men*.

Messrs. William Stone, Gabriel Manigault, Benjamin Savage, Richard Shurbrick, and John McCall, Commissioners of the Market and Work House.

Messrs. Othniel Beale, Alexander Peronneau, William Woodrop, John Laurens, and John Daniel. *Fire Masters*.

Messrs. Daniel Wellhausen, Henry Bedon, Joseph Shute, and Thomas Legare. *Wood Measures*.

Messrs. Peter Benoit, Edward Swan, Peter Leger, Gabriel Guignard, and John Cuthbert. *Packers*.

CUSTOM-HOUSE CHARLES TOWN, Entered Inwards.

Ship *Dragon*, Edm. Ryan, fr. *Lizbon*.
Ship *Nancy*, Charles Ore, from Cork.
Ship *Dantzick Merchant*, Henry Brown, from *Falmouth*.

Bright *Charfield Jolliffe*, William Reede, fr. *m Poole*.
Schooner *Madeira Packet*, Dennis MacCarty, from *Madeira*.

Sloop *Eliz*, John Rains, from *Jamaica*.
Entered Outwards.

Ship *Dantzick Merchant*, Henry Brown, for *Oporto*.

Bright *Ch. Jolliffe*, Wm Reede, for *Poole*.
Clear'd for Departure.

Bright *Charming Sarah*, John Davidson, to *Barbados*.
Schooner *Charles*, R. Cloud, to *Rattus*.
Schooner *Hester*, J. Mackay, to *Jamaica*.

EXPORTED from Charles-Town, since the First Day of November last.

Rice, 26,124 Barrels.
Pitch, 4431 Barrels.
Tar, 979 Barrels.
Turpentine, 171 Barrels.
Skins, 379 Hogheads.

Corn and Pease, 16076 Bushels.
Beef and Pork, 1355 Barrels.

Price of Goods of this Country Produce.

Rice, 10 lb. 0 d. per 100 cwt.
Pitch, 30 lb. 0 d. per Barrel.
Tar, 20 lb. 0 d. per Barrel.
Turpentine, 8 s. 0 d. Ditto.
Skins, 16 lb. 6 d. per Pound.
Staves, 14 l. per Thousand.
Resin, 10 s. 0 d. per 100 cwt.
Tarp Oyl, 20 s. per Gallon.
Corn, 7 s. 6 d. per Bushel.
Pease, 7 s. 6 d. per Ditto.

Of the Product of Foreign Parts By the Hundred.

Philadelphia Flour, 4 l.
Middling Bread, 6 l.
Ship Bread, 4 l.
Brown Bread, 4 l.
Muscovado Sugar, 14 l. to 15.
Powder Sugar, 20 l.
Bristol single refin'd Sugar, 8 s. per lb.
American Ditto, 7 s.
Double Ditto, 10 s.

By the Hoghead

New-England Rum, per Gallon, 16 s.
Barbados Rum, 20 s. 0 d.
Antigua Rum, 17 s. 6 d.
Monserrat Rum, 17 s. 6 d.
Jamaica Rum, 25 s.
Melasses, 15 s. 0 d.

By the Pipe.

Lizbon Wine, 140 l.
Oporto Wine, 140 l.
Madeira Wine, 120 l.

By the Quarter Cask.

Milk Bread, 60 lb.
White Bread, 90 lb.

By the Pound.

Soap in Boxes, 3 s. 6 d.

By the Bushel.

Fine Salt, 20 s.
Coarse Salt, 20 s.

Advertisements

To be sold by the Subscribers, choice old *MADEIRA WINE*, at their Store on the Bay
Nicholson, Shurbrick, & Comp.

Stray'd into the Plantation of *Charles Pinckney*, Esq; on *Charles Town-Neck*, a black and white Cow, branded on the right Buttock, the Mark almost worn out, but seems to resemble most a Figure of 8: Also a black and white Bull Calf about 2 Years old, and a black and white Cow Calf, about a Year old, unmarked.

ALSO

STRAY'D into the Plantation of Mrs *Davies* upon *Charles Town Neck*, a Dun Cow, pretty white, branded on the off Buttock with an O and two triangular Lines joined to the Bottom thereof, her right Ear is cropped and a half penny cut out of each Side, she is middle sized and has but small Horns. The Owners or Owners of them or either of them, upon proper Application and complying with the Terms of the Law, may have them again.
Thomas Dale, J.P.

Just imported and to be sold by *John Dorr*, choice good *Dutch* bottled Beer, *York Beer*, and *Black Head* Cheese.

South-Carolina. WHEREAS

William Thomas of the Province aforesaid, Planter, has exhibited his Petition to the Chief Justice and Two of the Justices of the Court of Common Pleas, setting forth, that he is in the Custody of the Provost Marshal of this Province, on *Misne Process*, at the Suit of William M^cCalla, John Laurens and Thomas Corbett, for Debts to them justly due, and that he is ready and willing to make Surrender, upon Oath, to one or more of his Creditors in Trust for the Rest, all and singular his Estate, both real and personal, a List or Schedule of his Estate being annexed to his said Petition, and prays to be admitted to the Benefit of the Act of the General Assembly in such Case lately made & provided. It is therefore ordered, and the said William M^cCalla, John Laurens and Thomas Corbett, and all others to whom the said William Thomas is in any wise indebted, are hereby summoned, and have Notice to appear at the usual Place of Judicature in Charles Town, on the 23d Day of May next, before the Justices aforesaid, to shew Cause, if any they can, why the said William Thomas should not be entitled to the Benefit of the said Act, upon his complying with the Terms therein prescribed. April 20th, 1745.

J. Wedderburn, C.C.C.

South-Carolina. WHEREAS

John Fryer of Charles Town in the said Province, Joiner, has exhibited his Petition to the Chief Justice, & 2 of the Justices of the Court of Common Pleas, setting forth, that he is in the Custody of the Provost Marshal of this Province, by Virtue of a *Misne Process*, at the Suit of Samuel Watowright, for a Debt to him justly due, and that he is ready and willing to make Surrender upon Oath, to one or more of his Creditors in Trust for the Rest, all & singular his Estate, both real & personal, a List or Schedule of his Estate being annexed to his said Petition, and prays to be admitted to the Benefit of the Act of the General Assembly in such Case lately made and provided. It is therefore ordered, and the said Samuel Watowright, and all others to whom the said John Fryer is in any wise indebted, are hereby summoned, and have Notice to appear at the usual Place of Judicature in Charles Town, on the 23d Day of May next, before the Justices aforesaid, to shew Cause, if any they can, why the said John Fryer should not be entitled to the Benefit of the said Act, upon his complying with the Terms therein prescribed. April 20, 1745.

J. Wedderburn, C.C.C.

Brought to the Work-House in Charles Town.

March 26, 1745. *Famey*, a run-away Negro Fellow, who says he belongs to Mr. William Stead at *Four Hyles*.

March 28. *Neptune*, a run away Negro Fellow, who belongs to Mr. John Jarvis at *Port Royal*.

April 13. *Jack*, a run away Negro Fellow, yellowish, says he belongs to Mr. Wankorke at *Stone*.

To be Lett and enter'd upon immediately, the House wherein the Subscriber now lives at *Gause Creek*, with 80 Acres of Land adjoining thereto, it is very convenient for a Store or Tavern. Enquire further of Mr. Charles Stead in *Charlestown*, or of *Maurice Keating*.

To be sold at the Dwelling-

House of the Subscriber, at publick Vendue, on Wednesday the first Day of May, to the highest Bidder, for one Years Credit with good Security, and paying Interest from the Day of Sale; a choice parcel of Slaves, consisting of Men, Women and Children, some of them very good Tradesmen, and well known by the Name of *Stuart* a Mussee Shoe-maker and well skill'd in the Carpenter's Trade, *Disk* his Brother (a Mussee) an extraordinary good Cooper and very handy at the Wheelwright's Trade, *Bram* and *Job*, with others fine sensible Slaves and very useful in many Things: Also divers Tracts of Land, some settled, others not, most of them containing upwards of 1000 each, and may be (if required) divided into small Tracts; the farthest (except one) is not above 5 Miles from good navigable Rivers, one is situate on *Cambes River*. Some as good Saddle and Chair Horses as any in the Province. A good Quantity of choice tame Cattle, working Oxen, breeding Mares, &c, some good Beasts, the one half part of a new well rig'd 70-Barrel Pettraugus, with divers other Things that may be useful. The Sale to begin at 10 o'Clock in the Forenoon; all Sums under 20 l. to be paid in ready Money to the Subscriber, who with his Family intends to leave the Country next Spring.

John Sanders.

To be sold on Wednesday the

22d Day of May next, at the Plantation of *Daniel Shaw* deceased, on *Black River Whym*, all the personal Estate of the said *Daniel Shaw*, consisting of a choice parcel of Plantation Slaves, a large Stock of Cattle, Horses, and Plantation Tools, &c for Credit until the first Day of next March, paying Interest from the Day of Sale, and giving good Security. All Persons who have Demands on the said Estate are desired to give 'em in before the Day of Sale, to *Wm Fleming*, Executor.

Stolen from the Subscriber on

the 9th or 10th Instant, a large Table Spoon mark'd thus R & R and supposed to be taken by a Negro. Whoever gives Intelligence thereof so that it may be had again shall have 20 lb. Reward of *Robert Allen*, who desires it may be kept if offered for Sale.

Whereas I have received In-

formation from *William Cattell*, sen. Esq; of a black pyle Steer, very tame, a Brand on the near Buttock not plain, the right Ear a Crop or short Fork, the left Ear a Bliz, the Top of one cut off. Any Person claiming the above Beast may have him again proving their Title before

John Shaw

On the First Tuesday in May

next, will be sold or raffled for, at the House of *Mr. Isaac Peronneau* in *Goose Creek* (formerly belonging to *Mr. George Clinton*) a handsome light London Chaise, valued at 220 l.

If there is such a Person in

this Province as *George Myles*, the Son of *John Myles* in *Cowper of Angus* in *North Britain*, he may, on Application to the Rev. Mr. *Thomson* in *Dorchester*, hear of something to his Advantage.

The Commissioners appointed by

an Act of the General Assembly of this Province, and confirm'd by his Majesty in Council, for regulating the Buildings in *Charles Town* and *Ed. street* the late dreadful Fire, think proper to give this Timely Notice, to the several Persons who have erected any wooden Buildings in any part of *Charles Town* since the said Fire, or who have erected any brick Buildings and cover'd the same with Shingles, that the Term for the standing of such Wooden Buildings and Coverings will expire on the 20th Day of December, when all such Buildings are directed to be pulled down and removed. THEREFORE it is hoped, that the Owners of such Buildings will in due Time take Care to prevent the Inconveniencies which will otherwise attend them, in having the said Act strictly carried into Execution on the said 20th Day of December next.

CHARLES PINCKNEY.

JOHN DART.

JA OB WHITE

ISAAC MARYCK

Taken up on the 22d Day of

February last, on *Folly Island* (commonly called the *Coffin Land*) a Cyprus Canow, about 3 Feet wide and 17 long, with a Locker in her Stern, and a Piece out of her Head. The Owner may have her again, paying reasonable Charges and applying to *William Foy*.

Just imported, in the Brig.

Chasfield *Jolliffe*, *William Ralls* Maker, from *Perle*, English white Salt, *Dorchester* Beer, *Gloucester* Cheese, *Barthen* Ware, Cordage, and inedry other European Goods, to be sold at the next Store to *Mr Robert Pring's* on *Elliot's Wharf*. by

Thomas Oliver

Run away from the Pelham

Privateer, two Negro Men, &c.

Joseph Johnson, born in *Bermuda*, speaks very good English, had on when he went away a light colour'd Cloth Coat, a check'd Shirt, *Osnaburg* Frock and Trowsers.

Thomas Elbery, born in *Jamaica*, a tall slim Fellow, hard of Hearing, he beats a Drum very well, and is well known amongst the Negroes in *Charles Town*, having been here before with *Capt. Thresher*.

Whoever apprehends the said Negroes, shall have 5 l. Reward for each by applying to *Reid & Keanan*.

N.B. Any Person in Town, Country, or on Ship board, who entertains the said Slaves, will be prosecuted with the utmost Severity of the Law.

Run away, a white Lad, aged

about 16 Years, born in *Dublin*, named *Luke Blatley*, wears his own short black Hair, and had on when he went away a new blue Serge Jacket with white metal Buttons. Whoever takes up and brings him to *Thomas Hadden* Pilot, in *Charles Town*, shall have a Reward of 10 l.

To be sold by Capt. THOMAS

FRANKLAND, Two Negro Men, one of them a Cooper, and Two Wenches with Three Children each.

Bills of Lading to be sold by

the Printer Hereof.

A Person properly qualified for making Soap and Candles, may, on Application to *Mr. Daniel Bourgett* in old Church-street, or the Printer hereof, meet with good Encouragement, and all the Conveniencies necessary for that Business.

Ready Money for good Tallow or Myrtle Wax, by the said *Daniel Bourgett*.

ELLIOTT's Wharff is now

kept by the Subscriber, who will give due Attendance thereon, and will sell to his Employer's best Advantage whatever he shall be entrusted with.

Robert Corson

Stolen or stray'd from my Plan-

tation nigh the Quarter house, some time since, a white Gelding about 13 Hands high branded on the mounting shoulder

M.S. and on the mounting Buttock TD in one, he formerly belonged to *Peter Roper* of *Goose Creek*. Whoever brings him to the said Plantation, or to me in *Charlestown*, shall be reasonably rewarded.

Thomas Bala.

Stray'd into the lower Planta-

tion of the late *Mr. John Barstford*, in the Parish of *St Thomas*, a bright Bay Gelding about 13 Hands high, is a natural Pacer, has a white Nose and a white spot over his right Eye, the Bigness of a common Egg, appears to be lightly branded on the near Buttock with an S backward. Any Person claiming the said Gelding, may apply to *James Allen*.

To be lett or sold, a Tract of

Land at *Stons*, on which *Benjamin Seabrook* lately lived, Two Miles above *Mrs Thomas Elliott's* on *Cowesw Swamp*, containing 514 Acres, near one Half Cyprus Swamp, the other suitable for Corn or Rice, about 100 Acres clear'd and all under good fence, 50 or 60 Acres being digg'd up for Corn, and all in very good Order for planting directly, with an indifferent good Dwelling House, Barn, Kitchen, Hen house, Negro houses, Garden, Orchard, and other Conveniencies. Any Person inclinable to purchase or hire the same, may treat with *James Serjourn* on *James Island*.

John White of Christ-Church

Parish, informs me, That a Sorrel Gelding about 12 Hands high has strayed into his Pasture, is branded on the right Buttock and Shoulder with a large H, and has a Blaze in his Face. The Owner may have him again on applying to

William Hendrick.

Stray'd into the Pasture of Mr.

Benjamin Simmons in the Parish of *St Thomas* and *St Dennis*, a Sorrel Gelding, about 13 Hands and an half high, with a Bell hung about his Neck, and paces, has large white down his Face, and branded on the mounting Shoulder R.S. Any Person claiming the said Gelding, may apply to *James Allen*.